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City of South Fulton District 2 Councilwoman Carmalitha Gumbs Hosts Community Cleanup, Spotlights 'Environmentally Conscious' Student Artists and Raises Funds for Local Schools

Winner to be Named in 'Cleaner, Greener' Mascot Contest during Comcast-Sponsored Event; City of South Fulton to Donate Branded Trash Receptacles to Westlake High School

SOUTH FULTON, Ga. – For the second year in a row, City of South Fulton Councilwoman Carmalitha Gumbs is partnering with Comcast for a community cleanup and school fundraiser. The event, which includes music and food, will take place on May 4, 2019 at Wolf Creek Library located at 3100 Enon Road, from 10:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m.

By design, area students and schools will be the biggest beneficiaries of the event. One student artist will be named the winner of the "Cleaner, Greener" mascot contest, will receive a cash prize and be deputized as "Mayor for the Day." Branded trash receptacles used during the event will be donated to Westlake High School. Comcast will also make donations to local schools to reward the community for their time and effort.

"Our community cleanup, in partnership with Comcast, has become something that residents of all ages look forward to," said Councilwoman Gumbs. "It's a massive display of community pride. It's also an opportunity to engage our youth, show our support for our schools and model for the next generation what it means to do your part to make your community a great place to live."

Comcast Cares Day has rallied more than one million volunteers to contribute over six million service hours since the initiative was first launched nearly two decades ago. Grants from The Comcast NBCUniversal Foundation on behalf of volunteers who contribute their time have totaled more than \$25 million.

"As we celebrate our 18th annual Comcast Cares Day, we are delighted to partner with Councilwoman Gumbs to give back to our local community here in South Fulton," said Lizette Tarver, senior marketing manager. "It is incredible to see how we can drive meaningful change by bringing together our employees, their friends and families, and our community partners, both on this day and throughout the year. We are thankful for the participants and volunteers who continue to work to make a positive difference."

The entire community is encouraged to volunteer for the cleanup event. Adult and teen volunteers will be deployed to major corridors in the area and Cliftondale Park. Elementary school-aged volunteers will

assist with planting flowers and other beautification projects at Wolf Creek Library.

To register, visit the dedicated <u>event landing page</u> at <u>www.comcastinthecommunity.com</u> or contact Councilwoman Carmalitha Gumbs at <u>carmalitha.gumbs@cityofsouthfultonga.gov</u>.

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